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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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Application No.: 10/775,702

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For: ARRAY-TYPE DISK  
APPARATUS PREVENTING  
DATA LOST WITH TWO DISK  
DRIVES FAILURE IN THE  
SAME RAID GROUP, THE  
PREVENTING PROGRAMMING  
AND SAID METHOD

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No.: 9171

Examiner: Unassigned

Technology Center/Art Unit: 2655

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.